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STERILIZERS, FIELD, SMALL, WITH ALCOHOL BURNERS

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Sterilizers, Field, Small, With Alcohol Burners

SOURCE: Kumamoto, Kyushu.

IMPORTANCE: Not previously reported. Small, compact sterilizers for minor surgical procedures.

DESCRIPTION: The sterilizer shown on the left in Figs. 1 & 2 is made of laquered aluminum and has a chrome plated, two-burner alcohol heating unit. The sterilizer is equipped with a folding stand made of cast brass with heavy wire legs. When intact, the sterilizer is 9 1/4" x 3 3/4" x 2". Set up for operation, it is 9 1/4" x 3 3/4" x 4". There are two aluminum handles for lifting the tray from the sterilizer.

The sterilizer shown on the right in Figs. 1 & 2 is made of aluminum and has a two-burner alcohol heating unit of the same material. The stand folds against the bottom of the sterilizer when not in use. This sterilizer is 8 1/2" x 5 1/2" x 2 1/2" intact and is 8 1/2" x 5 1/2" x 4 1/2" when it is set up for use. There is an aluminum hook-type handle for removing the tray.

COMMENT: These sterilizers are of usual type and quality. They are of interest, however, since they are a small, compact, and simply operated sterilizing unit for minor surgical

procedures in the field.

Photographs: Fig. 1 - Sterilizers, field, small,
intact.

Fig. 2 - Sterilizers, field, small,
set up for use.

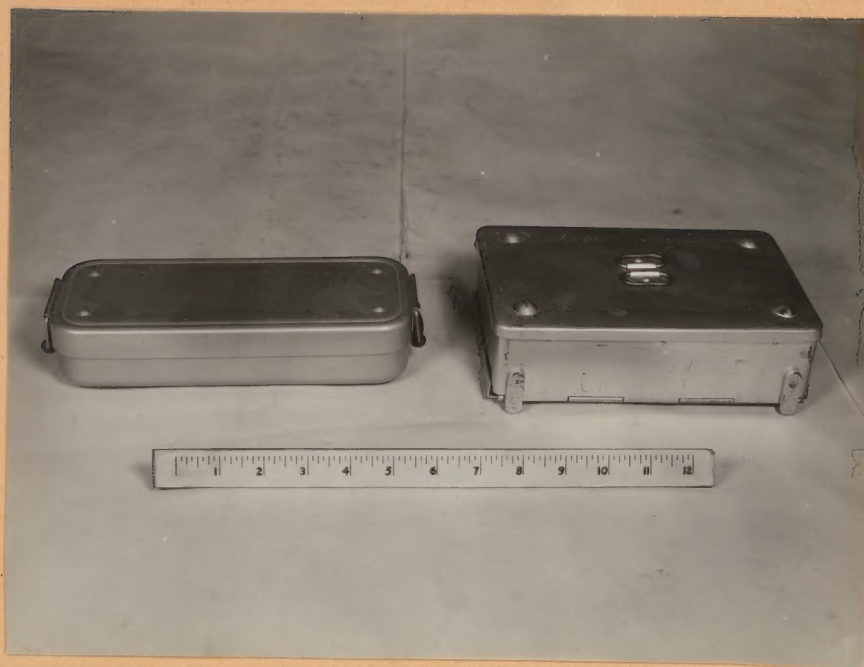


Fig. 1

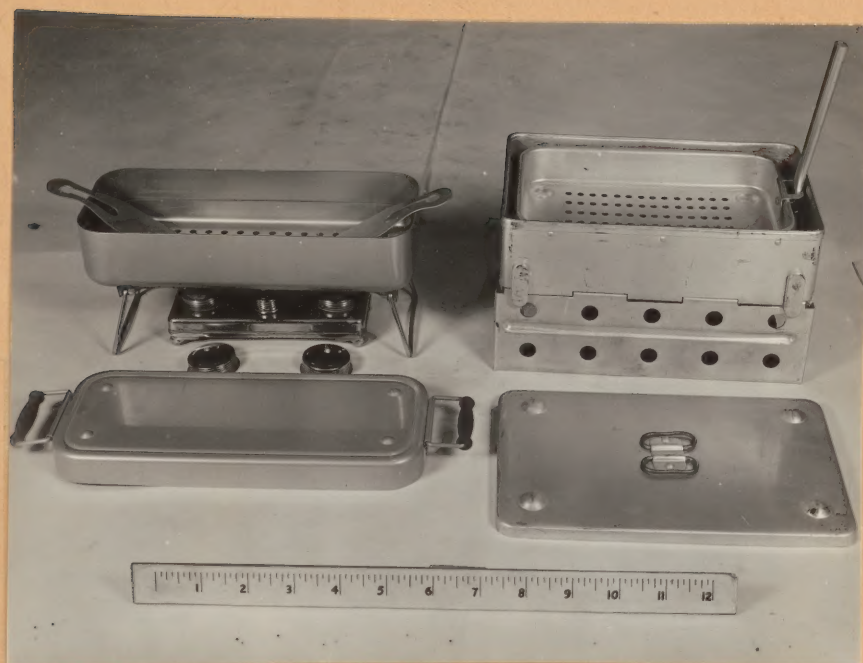


Fig. 2